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Subject: Re: Chamber of Commerce

Yes, I did.

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On Jun 6, 2020, at 1:32 PM, Scarano, Louis <Scarano.Louis@epa.gov> wrote:

Robert...thanks....since you are online, did you get the Microsoft Teams invite and my note?

Regards,

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No problem Gino- Still going through the comments, but in the interim, here is the list of commenters below, including some familiar names and authors of RE cited studies. I imagine the Blake, Paustenbach and Dement comments are of particular interest (among others) so have attached those. I can send the full comments of any others along—all of them in fact that aren't viewable publicly yet. Copying Jay, Kevin, Leonid and Tom.

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Richard Haffey, President and Training Director, Mystic Air Quality Consultants, Inc.
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Julie E. Goodman et al., Gradient

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Bruce Stern
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Robyn Brooks, The Chlorine Institute

Georges C. Benjamin, Executive Director, American Public Health Association

Ellen S. Tenenbaum and Craig H. Zimmerman, McDermott Will and Emery LLP

Iron Mining Association of Minnesota (IMA)

Andrey A. Korchevskiy et al, Director, Research and Development, Chemistry and Industrial Hygiene, Inc.

Xavier Becerra, Attorney General of California, California Department of Justice et al

Jennifer Sahmel, MPH, CIH, CSP, FAIHA, Insight Exposure and Risk Sciences, Inc.

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Comment submitted by Kevin T. Wyles, Dentons US LLC on behalf of Morse TEC LLC

Harold A. Schaitberger, General President, International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF)

Brooke T. Mossman, PhD, University Distinguished Professor, Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, The University of Vermont, Larner College of Medicine

Rebecca L. Reindel, Safety and Health Director, American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)

Comment submitted by Michael P. Walls, Vice President, Regulatory and Technical Affairs, American Chemistry Council (ACC)

U.S. Chamber Institute for Legal Reform et al

Randy Rabinowitz, Executive Director, Occupational Safety and Health Law Project and Jonathan Kalmuss-Katz, Staff Attorney, Earthjustice on behalf of American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations et al

Bob Sussman, Counsel, Safer Chemicals Healthy Families (SCHF) et al

Nicholas Chartres, Associate Director, Science and Policy, Program on Reproductive Health and the Environment, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences, University of California, San Francisco

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Robert:

Thanks...I had heard about the letter, thanks for sending on.

I am on the docket website now and see that nothing has been posted since June 1, so I am glad you are able to access the ones before they go up.

I might send a note to Diana Wong to see what was given to the SACC members in terms of comments.

Regards,

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Hi All- I wanted to send the letter from the Chamber of Commerce pertaining to the conflict of interest allegation with some of the SACC members. I am still going through the comments ~67 actual unique comments, many from consultants involved in asbestos exposure civil litigation related to brakes. Several are also from the authors of studies that are cited in the RE and very technical in nature.

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